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3,000 weeping colorful stars

a book of poems



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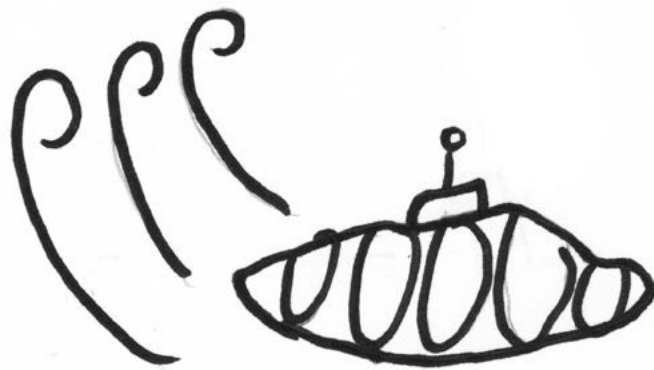
(Group Poem)

These sleepy socks, they just sleep
I have tiny hair when I eat
My spoon is made out of chocolate
I have a chocolate sandwich
The ocean is stinky
My neighbor's rose is cloudy
A piano is loud
My door is metal
My door is angry because I kicked it
An elephant is made of diamonds

DREAMS

(Group Poem)

I dreamt I was a purple princess
I dream I had a ginormous cupcake only for me!
I dream I went to a green place and it is the forest
I dream for a purple house with gold trim
I dreamed that everything was white: the trees were white, the houses were white
I dreamed I could eat blue rocks
I dreamed I was a flower, the color was red
I dreamed for a brown horse
I dream that roses are red and violets are blue and the world was great with you



I USED TO BE / BUT NOW

I used to be a purple flower but now I am a blue flower
I used to be a blueberry but now I am a strawberry
I used to make cakes but now I make mudpies
I used to be a black sparkly shoe but now I am a sparkly butterfly
I used to make m&m cookie but now I make chocolate chip cookies
I used to be a kitten but now I am a puppy
I used to be an eraser but now I am a pencil
I used to live in an apartment but now I live in a house
I used to make paper but now I make dresses
I used to be a dress but now I am a clown
I used to be a basket but now I am a fruit
I used to make apples but now I make strawberries
I used to make eggs but now I make cookies. Yum Yum Yum!

by Veronica

I used to be a ball of tie-dye in a diaper
But now I am black tape
I used to be a cat that was black
But now I am a bad dog
I used to work for the blue president
But now I work for the horrible mayor
I used to be a great astronaut
But now I am a bad cow
I used to have 12,000,000 brown cats
But now I have only one bad cat
I used to be a hard worker
But now I am a bad farmer

by Ruth



I used to be a horse rider
but now I'm a dress maker
I used to be a bucket
but now I am a basket
I used to like horses
But now I like cats more
I used to be an apple
but now I'm a pear
I used to be an exit sign
But now I am an entrance sign
I used to be a door
but now I am a strawberry

by Vivian

I used to be alive
But now I am dead
I used to be scissors with a green handle
But now I'm paper with some glue
I used to eat cats with blue coats
But now I eat frogs with fur
I used to smell food with gravy
But now I eat food with gravy
I used to love puzzles
But now I love mazes
I used to be 7
But now I'm 8

by Seven

2nd

I used to be friends with Sam and Josh
But now I am their enemy
I used to be pink
But now I am purple
I used to play with my brother
But now he will not let me play with him
I used to be happy
But now I am sad
I used to live in Ireland
But now I live in America
I used to be a kitten
But now I am a puppy

By Taylor

I used to have movie night where we ate popcorn and pizza
But now I watch a movie in my own home
I used to fart and it smelled like elephant poo
But now I smell like a daisy in my hair
I used to be a witch for Halloween
But now I am a black cat
I used to go to the park every Monday
But now I go straight home
I used to be a burger with cheese
But now I am a French fry
I used to have a jump rope
But now I have a bunk bed

by Natalie

I used to have blond, curly hair
But now I have blond, straight hair
I used to like puppies
But now I like kitties
I used to have a kitten
But now I have a horse
I used to be a rainbow dash
But now I am a twilight sparkle
I used to live in Texas
But now I live in Portland
I used to be a princess
But now I am a kitten

by Reese

I used to play basketball
But now I play soccer
I used to be a baby
But now I'm a kid
I used to be in kindergarten
But now I'm in 2nd grade
I used to be a cheetah
But now I'm a leopard
I used to be a balloon
But now I popped

by Marley



I used to have a dog, but now I have a cat
 That kitty smelt yummy
 The kitty wasn't mean and I kept that kitty clean
 When I gave that kitty a bath, he was sitting there
 staring at me
 I used to be mean but now I'm nice.
 That kitty likes it and so do I
 As I'm nice I went shopping
 Getting kitty food.
 And when I got home
 I used to be a person but now I am a kitty
 I made friends with my kitty And we play!
 My kitty used to be a kitty
 But now she is a strawberry
 I gobbled her up, she tasted yummy.
 I barfed it out and the pile became a kitty
 I used to be a kitty but now I am a person.
 When I was a person it felt so good!
 My Kitty still is here and I have a cheer!
 I am A person and my kitty is a kitty.
 I stayed home all day to sew a bed for my kitty,
 My sewed bed is here so is my kitty yay yay yay!



by Alyssa

People used to call me cutie pie
 now they call me plain old girl.

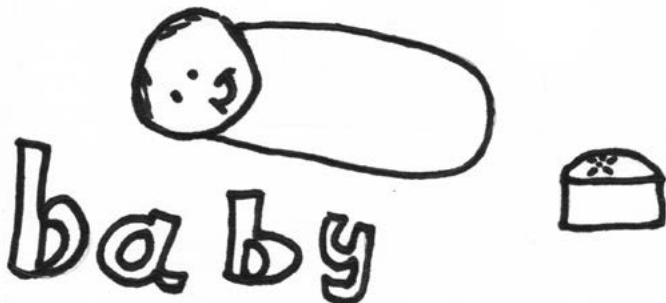
I used to be a baby
 but now I am a 2nd grader.

My name was cute baby
 but now they call me Veronica Bogza.

I used to be in 1st grade
 but now I am in 2nd grade.

I used to like purple
 but now I like the color blue.

by Veronica



LETTERS TO LETTERS

Dear M,

I love you
'cause you say nothing
and because you're
smart

because you
help spell
~~the end~~

I'm sorry because
M is not my
favorite letter

It is "R"
for rock n roll

From,
Marley

Dear N,

You are a beautiful letter.
I love how you have three zig zags.
Even though you don't start my name you make
My day.
I like you more than rainy days.
Dear N, Dear N,
I like you because you are
New and so cool.
You start my favorite words
Except for nude. I love you!

Love,
Seven



Dear V,

I like you because
you stand for the word
volcano! I love you because
you stand for the word
velociraptor. I like you
because you are mighty.

From,
Vivian

COSMO



Dear A,

You are so funny! Your "A" sound can help me spell
hilArious and A-ttractive words. You can spell Armit,
Annoying, Agggghhh, Acecubowbow, Accedent (this kind of
Accident is the one where you pee your pants!) You
can also spell just NORMAL words like Arcade, Art,
Astronaut, Airborn, Apples, Apricot, and much, much more!
You can also be IN words like lake, bake, shake,
bat, cat, fat, mat, hat, shishkibababa, vain, lain, trash, bash,
mash, cash, mask, fart, and more! You can also be
IN action hero names like Batman, Spiderman,
Ironman, and much more I can't think about!
Oh, one more, you spell my name: Alyssa!

Love,
Alyssa

Dear A,

I love arcades. I love
winning awards! I love juicy
apples. And I like the
M sweet. You are a
big fat armpit!
My brother's birthday
Is in August.

From,
Taylor

Dear V,

You are
the beautiful letter
of the world V.
You're like the
color blue. You are
like vanilla, like a
pack of brown vanilla.
You are good for
Valentine's day
yaaay but that
is not my favorite
holiday, it's Christmas
that is my favorite
holiday and my name
starts with a V.

From,
Veronica

Dear E,

You remind me
of elk running
on the earth.

The earth is the

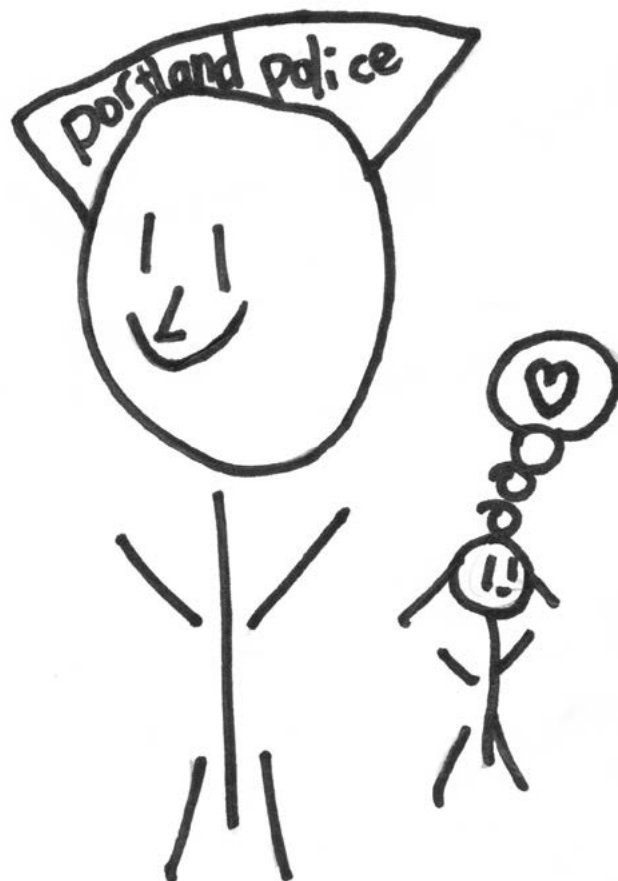
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From,
Natalie

Dear R,

you are my favorite
letter
because
You are the
first
letter
in
rabbit.
you are
also the
first
letter
in
roar,
rumpus
and
red.
you also
remind
me
of
words
that
start with
R like
rooster, roof, and rock.

From,
Ruth



I WISH & I DREAM

I wish for a horse.
I wish I had a car.
I wish for long hair.
I wish for my own house.
I wish I was a princess.
I wish for earplugs.
I wish I was a dolphin.
I wish for a stool.
I wish I was a worm.
I wish for an otter.

by Vivian

I wish there was a wedding and I was the
flower girl with a pink dress and
pink ballet shoes.

by Taylor

I dreamed I was
a unicorn and whatever
I wanted to be! I wish
I had whatever I
needed and wanted! I wish
I had a raspberry kitten
and a blueberry
kitten! I wish I could
wish from a shooting star~
I wish my birthday was
everyday! I wish I were
a fairy forever! I dream
I was a mermaid!

by Reese

I wish for \$1,000,000 dollars.
I wish for my brother to go far away.
I wish to have 1,000,000,000 cats.
I wish for a cupcake right now!!
I wish for a red camera.
I wish that my brother would not like superman.
I wish that there were purple bananas.
I wish I had a Venus fly trap.
I wish for a horse with a stall.
I wish for a dog who had puppies.
I wish for a bigger bedroom.
I wish my sister's name was nothing.
I wish for a purple door.
I wish I could go to college.
I wish to eat right now!!
I wish for a dolphin.
I wish I could go swimming.
I wish it was my birthday.
I wish to have some candy.
I wish I had a mall in my house.

by Ruth

I dreamed I was an eagle soaring
through the air. And I dream I was
a cat with green eyes. I dream
I was a monkey.
I dream I was you.

by Natalie

I wish for a brown
horse

I dream for a lot
of money and
coins

I wish I was
rich

I dream for a
blue dolphin

I wish for a big
huge cupcake for
myself

I dream for a
pink pony

I wish the world
was made of candy

I dream for a big
world

I wish the world was the
color blue

I wish I was a
monkey

by Veronica



I wish I
had a very
big toy box
in my garage.
I wish I was a
very silly
boy.
I wish I could
go outside.
I dreamed I
was a girl.
I wish it
was my
birthday.

by Marley



I wish I had free range to sneak a candy when I
am not supposed to. I also wish I could have my own
miniature cake I could eat all on my own. I wish on
Christmas morning I got two hundred presents. I reall
wish I had the best dream EVER and it popped to
life at midnight, I wish I could wish on a
wishing star and my wish came true. I dream I
ate a tootsie roll and I could actually TASTE it
while I was dreaming! (yum!) I dream I had a
life-time supply of chocolate! I dream I had wings
to fly! I dream I had a cute pit bull dog and
the next morning I had two thousand pit bulls!
I dream I can go to a prom and spy! I wish I
were an artist! I wish I had my own room! I wish
I didn't have to CLEAN my room! I wish I
could go to a mall EVERY DAY! I wish I lived
in a mansion that was big and white and sparkling
clean.

by Alyssa

I WISH

(Group Poem)

I wish I had a million swirl pops and a mansion

I wish I was a unicorn

I wish I would have poison to turn myself into a kitten

I wish I had a pony!

I wish for a million cats

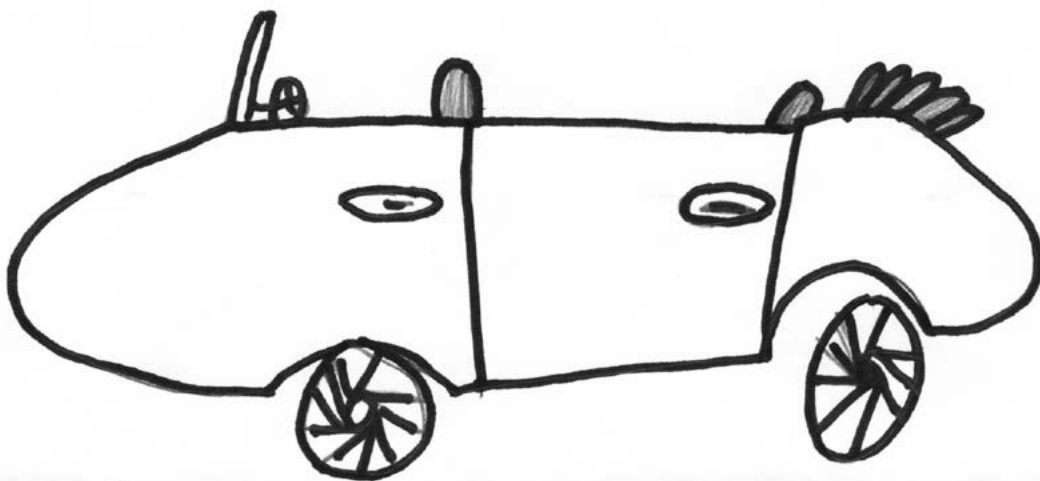
I wish I was a toilet

I wish I was made out of money

I wish someone would bake me a chocolate cake now!

I wish I spoke the language of cats

I wish I had a unicorn



IS LIKE

Sunshine is like
a gigantic star

the forest is
like a big
bathroom
for animals

a bridge is like
a parking
lot

a treasure chest
is like a
coffin a
mask is like
a mask that
controls
the whole
world

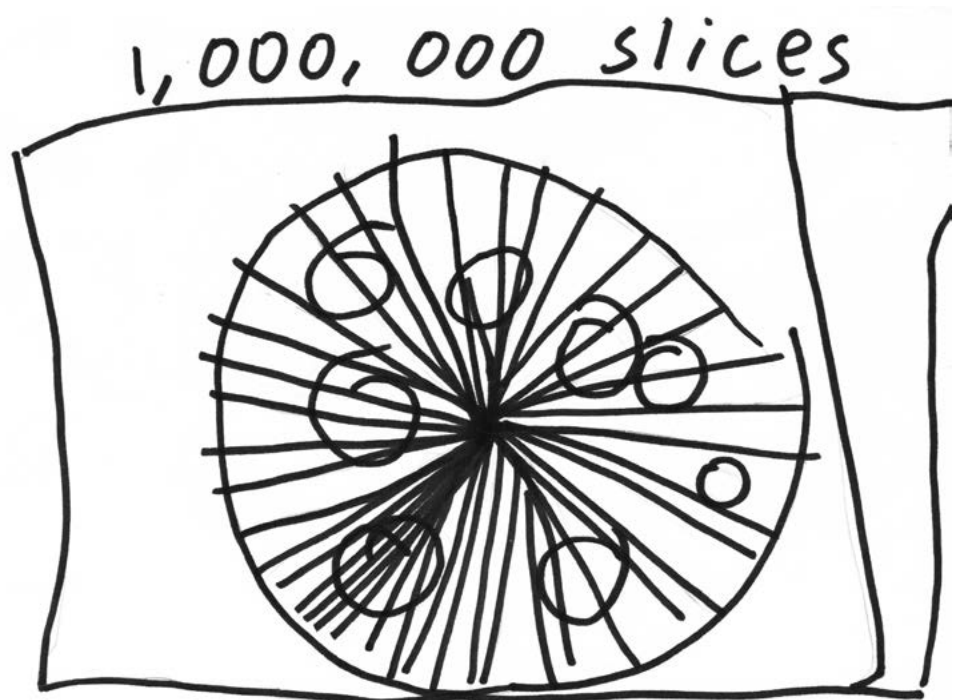
the sky is like
a galaxy

water
melon is like
a pit of green

by Marley

Pizza is like
cheese it looks
like a triangle
it looks like
this sign: ^

by Marley



sun shine is like
yellow
the forest is like
trees
a bridge is like
rocks
a treasure is
like gold
a mask is like a
bad mask!
the sky is like
god
watermelon is
like goodies

by Vivian

A skunk is stinky like garbage
A bridge is like a lake with a bridge
A treasure chest is like a basin of gold
The sky is like a hole in the world
Watermelon is like water
I am like a rock star
A restaurant is like a smell
Freckles are like brown dots
My thought is like the nickel arcade
Being tiny is like the best
by Natalie

sunshine is like
bright stars

the forest is like
a bunch of trees smashed together

a bridge is like
a thing above the water

a treasure chest is like
a thing with treasure in it

a mask is like
something that goes on your face

the sky is like
a big galaxy

watermelon is like
something that you eat

a princess is like
something I hate

an ocean is like
a big blue place

clay is like
a mushy blob of cat
throw up!

an oil pastel is like
a crayon

football is like
soccer

by Ruth



sunshine is like hot
the forest is like beautiful
a bridge is like strong
a treasure chest is like shiny
a mask is like dark
the sky is like blue
watermelon is like yummy
a kitten is like cute
Marley is like funny
Reese is like pretty
a table is like granite
Lindsay is like smart

by Vivian

Sunshine is like being blind
The forest is like a scary place
A bridge is like tarfing blalingbling
A treasure chest is like
A mask is like a dream I had
The sky is like a A
Watermelon is like life
A book is like a dream
A dog is like a dog
I'm like me
A crown is like a rainbow
a sweater is like a blanket

by Seven

Christmas is like snow!
The forest is like a forest!
A bridge is like a pathway!
A treasure chest is like a jewel!
A mask is like orange and black!
The sky is like blue!
A watermelon is like food!
A kitten is like soft!
Valentine's day is like about love!
Vivian is like pretty!
An apple is like fruit!
A stuffed animal is like soft!

by Reese

UNTITLED

(Group Poem)

Zelda lives on quiet mountain

The cloudy ocean is gray and cold

I will get metal glue

I wish I could have chocolate hair

I wish my brother was an angry piano

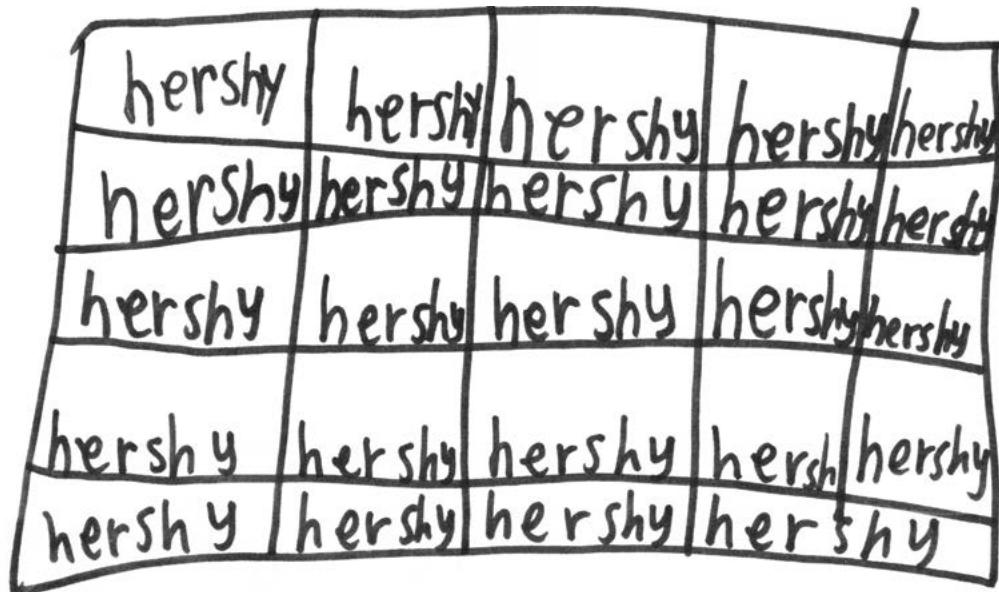
Tonight I'll eat with a diamond spoon

There's a sparkling candle in the room

I will get a squishy elephant

I am sleepy and so is my sleepy door!

A stinky butterfly landed on my nose and I fainted



CAVITY HEAVEN

I saw a cloud wanting to take me
I moved onto it
and it took me to Cavity Heaven
help! This heaven has food
made to give you cavities!
I stood there looking at the food
help! An angel came to me
I don't speak to the angel
do I know what I'm doing?
in my head I want to eat.
I like the food so much
this is giving me cavities!
behind me is the evil dentist I hate
in my head I want to wet my pants
at the end, I went home
all I did was brush my teeth
all I did was
eat the cotton candy I saved,
and my mom said I have
an appointment for my dentist!
What have I done?

by Alyssa

MY TEETH

I saw Vivian
I moved away from her
And it was going bad
Help, she bit me!

I stood up and bit her
Help, Natalie bit me!
I don't bite, said Natalie
Do I bite, teacher?

In my class, we do not bite
I like it though
This is not good!
Behind the table

In my bedroom
I looked out the window and said
All of my teeth
All are sharp

by Natalie

THE EVIL AND GOOD

I saw an evil dog
I moved the evil dog
And it came back
Help the police are evil

I stood and then ran away
Help my dad came
I don't want to die
Do I want to live

In my backyard
I like to live
This is scary
Behind was a good sheriff

In my back yard
At the back yard
All the bad dogs died
All the bad police died

by Marley



MY LION NAMED BRIAN

I saw a lion his name is Brian
I moved away from him
And it came closer
Help help it just roared!

I stood at my feet
Help help it just bit me!
I don't have a phone.
Do I know what to do?

In my head I'm freak'n out!
I like this lion he didn't bit me
This is weird.
Behind me is my mom.

In my head she is mad.
At the moment she is texting.
All at once she looks up and
yells at me.

by Taylor



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I am Dino
I am purple Dino
I am purple spotted Dino
I am purple spotted hairy Dino
I am Dino
I am purple Dino
I am purple spotted Dino
I am purple spotted hairy Dino
I live in a rock
I play with a rock
I eat rocks

by Seven

CAT

Here is a peewee cat who eats meats and his name
is Pete. He is cute and note mute. For lunch he eats
meats made of Keats, Comings and barfs narfs and
he sits on the cat mat. And he likes Harper the
marker. The marker is Harper and Harper is sharper
than a marker. The marker is sharper than
Mars. Mars is sparse.

by Ruth

IF I WAS A CAT . . .

I would bathe in the sun,
and when it rained, I would
claw at the door and want
to get let in, and when I was let
in, I would beg for food, and once
I got the food, I would
go to sleep on the couch. When
my people came to read, they
would pet me but the person
that I did not like came to
shout and scream
and I would leave.

by Ruth

UNTITLED

Kitties are soft
Kitties are gray
Kitties are big
Kitties on Mars
My kitties are small
My kitties have attitude
My kitties are fluffy
One of my kitties likes to
play. My other kitty
likes to sleep. One of my
kitties is fat!
My other kitty is skinny.
My kitties like to drink.
If I were my cat . . .
I would climb
then jump!
and eat!!! then
walk around.

by Vivian



MY DREAM

This cat with green eyes
There is a full moon
There is a black cat walking
on my doorstep
There he runs into my house
I talk to the black cat
I give him a treat
I tell my mom that I found a black cat
And I sit in the chair
And he climbs on my lap
He is my pet now
And he lies with me in the bed
And tomorrow is Halloween
And it all was a dream
And then I got out of bed
And brushed my teeth

by Natalie

PRINCESS AND KANDY

This is Kandy and Princess
is the kitten.
There is a crown on Princess's
head and Kandy's head.
There is another kitten on
the other side. Princess is excited.
Their kittens play a lot!
I talk about their kitten.
I give them gold and silver.

by Reese

IF ...

If I was a kitten, I would be nice and orange. If I were a kitten.
along with orange, I would have yellow-orangish stripes. If I were
a kitten I would be cute and all girly. If I were a kitten, I'd take
every bath. If I were a kitten I wouldn't be mean, I would be the
TOTAL antonym of mean. If I were a kitten, I would gleam,
If I wanted some food. If I were a kitten, I wouldn't scratch
or screech! Instead I would purrrr! If I were a kitten,
I would say good-bye to a bird up in the sky! If I were a
kitten, I would sit down and lick my paw. If I were a kitten,
I am saying good-bye to you! If I were a kitten . . . Oh, wait
I'm out of ideas!

by Alyssa



UNTITLED

What do soccer players
do on Mars? The
soccer ball is a
lava rock it came
from lunch the aliens
made and machines
that can turn lunch
into a lava rock
that's a soccer ball.
If you lose then you
turn into syrup.

by Marley

THE SLUG

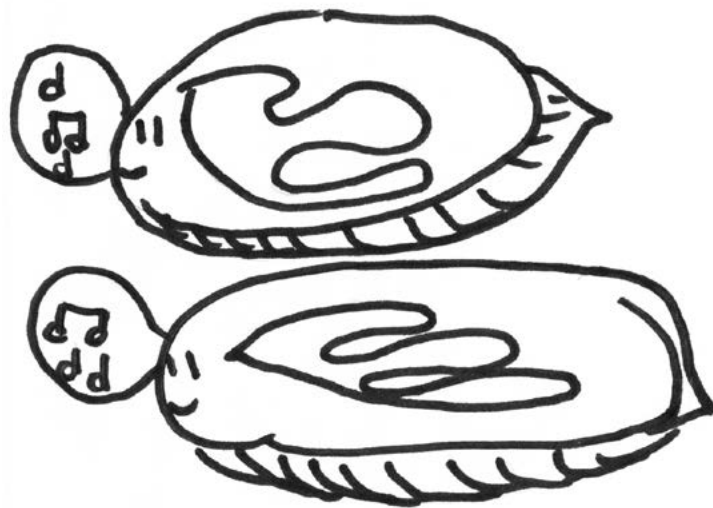
I saw a slug
I moved
And it said
“Help”

I stood up and it said
“Help” again
I don’t know what to do
Do I know what to do?

In my mind
I like the police
This is great
Behind the slug

In my mind
At the mall
All the slugs will
All sing Christmas carols

by Ruth



THE BUNNY

I saw a bunny
I moved toward it
And it drank some water
Help, it's angry

I stood there
Help, it's very mad
I don't know why
Do I think so?

In my house
I like bunnies
this one is not my favorite
behind me is the bunny

In my closet there are lots
At the pet store too
All the time too

by Veronica

THE BEAR

This is a story of a bear
that had no hair and it wasn't very fair.
There he sat in a chair all alone.
There he worried about his friend named Violet
What if she got hurt?
There they would sit together.
I talk about him all the time.
I give love and fur.
I tell him I love him.
And I love
And I help him
He and I play at the park together
And I kiss him goodnight
And I tell him sleepy stories
And I tell him spooky Halloween stories
And I tell my mom about him (but she doesn't believe me)
And I sew him a jacket.

by Taylor

EVERYTHING

This is my home
I wish I could go there.
There is a horse!
There is a car.
I talk about horses!
I give toys.
I tell stories.
And I rode a horse!
And I paint.
Hey, he's my friend.
And she's my sister.
That's my dog? And . . .
And I drew!
And I went to the park.
And I go to school.

by Vivian

UFO

I saw a UFO
I moved and ran
and it got me
Help help

I stood still
Help help
I don't know what is happening
Do I cry?

In my pants are pee
I like to live
This is scary
Behind me is an Alien

In my mind I'm scared
At the same time
All the aliens are dead
All the bad stuff is gone

by Seven



THE GHOST DOG

This is the dog lost in the forest, hungry and scared

There are wild hyenas

There is no dog

There's a faint barking

I talk of the dog but no one cares

I give them warnings

I tell them what to do

And of course

And OF COURSE

He doesn't listen, she doesn't listen

And he hears the dog

And she hears the dog

And AA

And NOOO

And I told you so



By Seven

HALLOWEEN!

This is Halloween, my favorite time of the year.

There are many reasons why Halloween is

my favorite time of the year, it is because . . .

There are tricks and treats and pleases and thank yous.

There is more about Halloween, you get to

wear a costume, and your eyes get to wear a gleam!

I talk about my costume.

I give information about my costume.

I tell people I wear makeup with my costume.

And when I tell people, they say, "wow!"

And also after that, I am proud!

He, who I am talking to, was very nice!

And after that we shook hands!

And after that, I went off to hunt for sugar!

And the first house I went to was scary!

And then I ran away!

And then I was home, and then I saw a booger!

by Alyssa

EVERYTHING

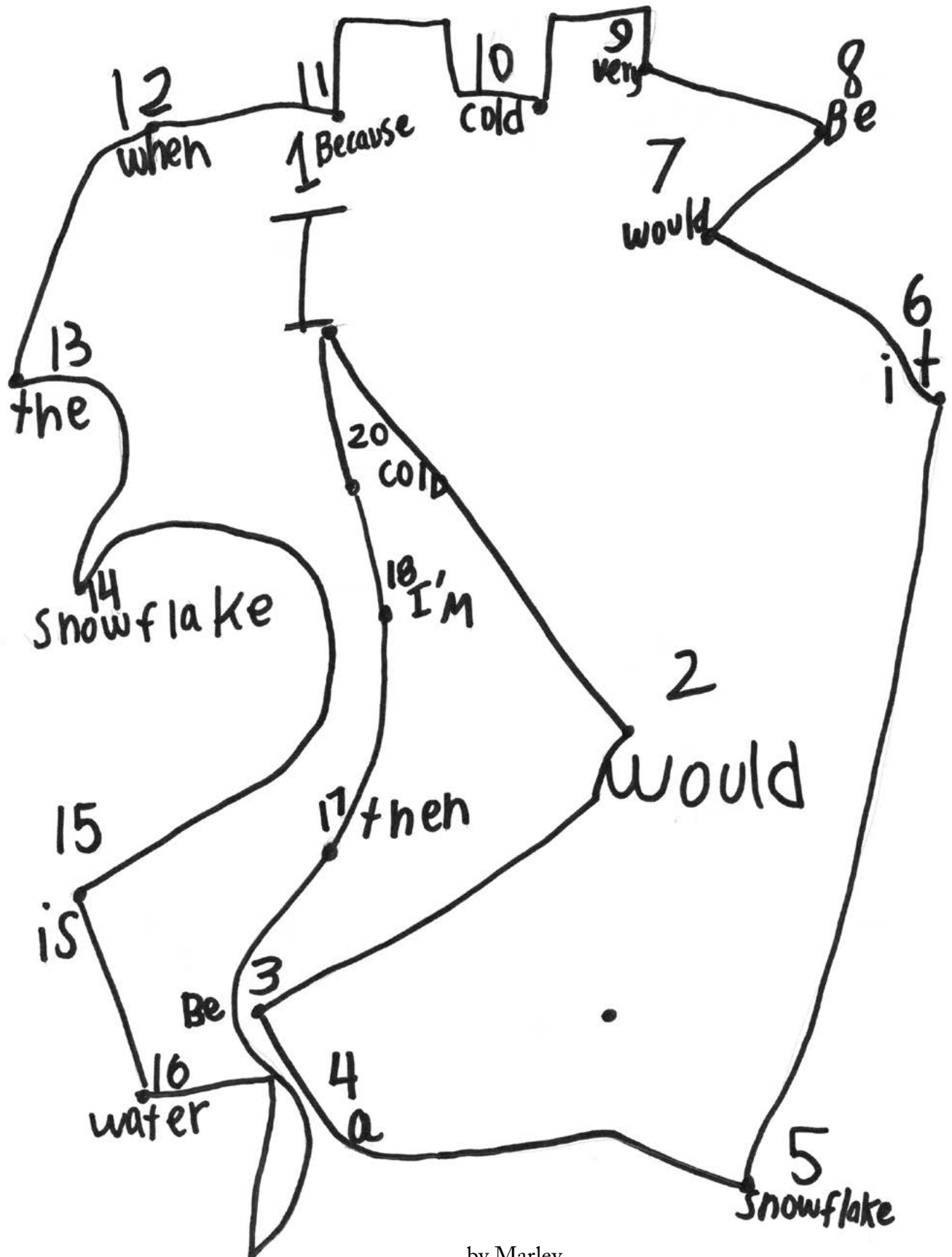
This is my house.
There are toys, stuffed animals,
and every thing I need.
There is my horse and
my hamster too!
There is my bed.
I talk with my hamster.
I give our presents.
I tell secrets to my friends.
And they keep the secrets.
And I speak Russian.
My friends are nice to me.
And my house is brown.
And I like in it.
And my brothers and sisters.
And my parents too.
And I like horses too!

by Veronica

THE BEAR AND THE BLIZZARD

This is a bad bear because he sits on a chair
There was a huge temple but I broke it
There were some people who were flat as a pancake
There was some syrup near me, I poured it on them
I talk to the mayor
I give the mayor some bread
I tell the blizzard to stop
And the blizzard is mad and he gets closer to the house
And they are cold and hungry
She is sad
And people in town are mad
And the train can not get through
And the people in town are scared
And the bear comes to bake a cake
And the bear makes a mistake

by Ruth



by Marley

If I were
snow I would
make it snow so
much that school
would close. I
would snow a lot so that
coco would be a hit!
I would snow so
much that the roads
would be closed!
I would make it
snow so much that
people would stay
inside. I would snow
so much people
would dress warmly. I
would snow so much
that Alyssa would make
two snowmen.

by Vivian

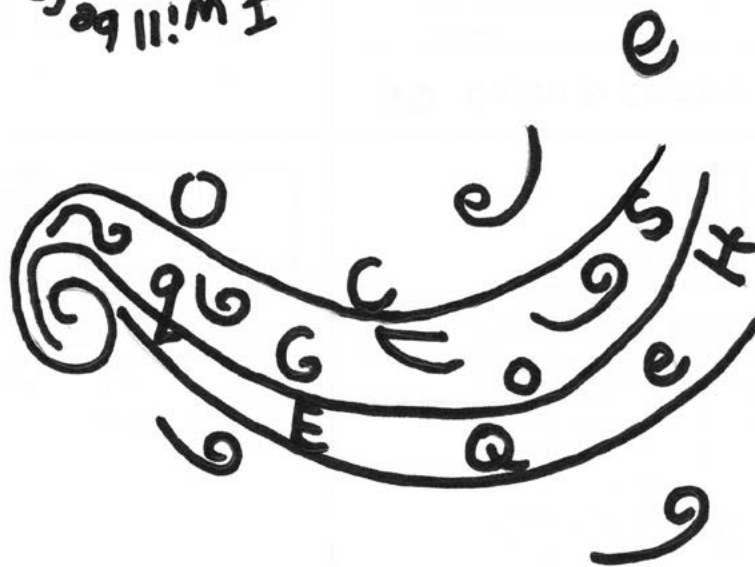
If I was
coco, I would smell
marshmallows. And I
would eat sugar.
And I would be
hot. And be
brown. And people
would drink me.
And they would
say "Yummy"

If I was the
snow I would fall
on my brother.
I would be the
color blue, white
and purple. If I
was the snow I would
smell strawberries. If
I was the snow
I would eat strawberries.

by Veronica

by Taylor

I am wind. I will blow the leaf. I will be cool. I will let dogs free when I am strong. I am angry. I will cool you down. I make dust clones and dust devils. I am wind.



by Seven

AT THE NORTH POLE

If I was a polar bear
I would go inside an igloo
I would sit in my ice chair
and get my ice drink
that tastes like water
I would have a swimming
pool and a hot tub
and I would have a
water blanket that
has a huge snowflake on it.
I would drink Coca Cola!

by Natalie

